

# STONE & THOMAS.

## CARPETS! CARPETS!

### Do You Need a Carpet?

We ask you to examine our stock before buying. You will find more Carpets, Rugs, Lenoxes, Oil Cloths and Blinds to select from than you will find in the combined stocks of any three houses in the city. We offer this week the following extra low prices:

- 50 pieces Tapestry Brussels Carpets at 45c, worth 60c.
- 75 pieces Tapestry Brussels Carpets at 58c, worth 70c.
- 40 pieces Body Brussels at 90c, worth \$1.15.
- 25 pieces Body Brussels at \$1.12 1/2, worth \$1.30.
- 25 pieces Lowell & Bigelow Body Brussels at \$1.22 1/2, worth \$1.40.
- 50 pieces extra heavy Union Carpets at 39c, worth 50c.
- 75 pieces All Wool c Carpets at 49c, worth 65c.
- 150 pieces best All Wool Carpets made at 66c, worth 80c.
- 50 styles Moquette carpets at \$1.45, worth \$1.75.

Come and examine our Stock. If you find we don't undersell all Competitors don't buy.

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Geo. M. Snook & Co.

## 50 STYLES

Chantilly, Spanish Guipure, Point de Esprit, Tosca and Russian

## SILK LACE FLOUNCINGS

## AND Draping Nets

Nord Designs in Dots, Dashes, Stripes, Yandy's, Black and White Combinations, Cream, Etc., Etc.

## PRICES LOW.

48 1/2 Limited number of Herring's Dress Fashion Catalogue for sale. Price, 50c.

## GEO. M. SNOOK & CO.

M. J. McFadden.

## Latest Spring Styles.

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Shows all the latest and popular styles in hats at prices less than one half of what you must pay elsewhere to get the same styles. We have this week the

## DUNLAP SPRING STYLE.

at \$1.90 and \$2.40.

Every style we show is guaranteed the correct shape.

## EVENING SUN STYLES.

ALL THE POPULAR STYLES IN STIFF HATS at \$1.00, \$1.40, \$1.70, \$1.90 and \$2.40.

Soft Hats, Crash Hats, Caps, Rugs, Hats and Caps, all styles and prices.

The Largest Stock of Fashionable Hats in the City. Finest Patterns, at 25c.

See the new styles in hats, just received, at 25c, 50c and 75c.

## M. J. McFADDEN,

One-Price Hatter and Furnisher,

1210 and 1212 Main Street.

## Wanamaker & Brown

Open the hall with 500 New Spring Styles for Gent's Suits and Uniforms at 35 per cent off a saving to the consumer, and don't forget to see the new styles in hats, just received, at 25c, 50c and 75c.

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Of health and strength renewed and of comfort and comfort follows the use of Syrup of Figs, as it acts in harmony with nature to effectually cleanse the system when costive or bilious. For sale in 50c and \$1.00 bottles by all leading druggists.

## THE SEASON'S LEADER.

We have the new shades for fashionable wear. Call and see them and be convinced that they are different from the styles offered in other, cheaply made, goods. We have all special, and only to be had of us.

## C. H. DINGEL, 38 Twelfth St.

BRANCH STORE, 104 Main Street.

## COME AND SEE AND TRY ON OUR

GENTS' AND LADIES' SHOES AT \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00.

And you will be convinced that for style and fit they are not surpassed by any in the city.

## A. G. WINCHER,

104 Main Street, 104 Main Street.

## SUBSCRIBE FOR

## THE WEEKLY INTELLIGENCER

\$1.00 PER YEAR.

### LOCAL BRIEVES.

Matters of Minor Moment, in and about the City.

Opera House this evening—Verona Jarreau.

Council meets in adjourned session this evening.

The Grand this evening—Willow Opera Company.

The nail factory at Benwood is now in full operation and twenty puddling furnaces are at work.

The McClure House begins to look like a new structure with its ornamental window caps and light painted trim.

A wicker table made of iron in the near future at Benwood, for a purse of \$50, is attracting attention in athletic circles.

G. B. Boren represents a syndicate that has purchased a controlling interest in the Porter fire brick works, near Cumberland.—Ohio Press.

The fruit crop in this part of the country, notwithstanding discouraging reports for the last two months, from present appearances will supply the demand.

A power of attorney was yesterday filed with Clerk Hook for record, by which J. C. Brady is constituted attorney-in-fact for the Wheeling Development Company.

The heavy rains of yesterday made the grass spring up wonderfully, and the trees began to bloom and spring may be said to be here of a variety.

The Wheeling steel works at Benwood were obliged to shut down about 9 o'clock Tuesday night on account of the breaking of the soaking pit crane in the blooming mill. The break was repaired and the works started up again Wednesday night.

John Penn and Alex. Smith, of Smithfield, were in Cadiz Monday in the interest of the Central District and Printing Telegraph Company. They had secured the rights of way for the erection of telephone wires and poles from Brilliant to Cadiz. From Cadiz the lines go west through Scioto, Bowers, Unionville, and on to the west, where they will connect with the telephone connections with Wheeling and Pittsburgh.—Caldwell Sentinel.

The Captain of the dredge boat Fay S, whose name is not known to the surgeon who dressed his wound, while dredging and on the Jefferson landing this morning, says yesterday a Stenographer, who was struck by the eye of a crank that flew off the crane, and very seriously injured the foot and leg, was sent from one side to the other, the skin falling down over his eyes. Dr. Laughlin was called and dressed the wound. He lay unconscious for several hours.

### THE SOUTH PLAIN ROAD.

It is Reorganized by Significant Interests.

The plan.

A special telegram from Baltimore says: "It is learned from reliable sources here that the South Pennsylvania Railroad Company has been reorganized mainly in the interest of the Reading and the Baltimore & Ohio railroad.

While it is reported from New York that the Vanderbilts will not antagonize the Pennsylvania's interests, it is stated in Baltimore that the construction of the South Pennsylvania road will be completed to gratify the ambition of the Reading for a rival line to the Pennsylvania west of Harrisburg.

"Some years ago Robert Garrett, then President of the Baltimore & Ohio, and President Wood, of the Western Maryland, were in negotiation with the late William H. Vanderbilt for connections with the South Pennsylvania. While the death of Mr. Vanderbilt put a stop temporarily to the arrangements, the scheme was recently revived and will now be carried into effect. Baltimore & Ohio and Western Maryland are reported to have already held conferences with the new management of the South Pennsylvania. As the latter road is being constructed in an air line, it is expected that it will probably be connected with the Baltimore & Ohio at some point on the Pittsburgh division of the latter, between Cumberland and Rockport."

It is a significant fact that the gentlemen in the scheme are for the most part the same as those who projected the old South Pennsylvania, and that the coincidence has a special significance.

### The W. & L. E. Bridge.

The Wheeling & Lake Erie Railroad Company has petitioned the Council at Bridgeport for the right of way through the corporation, via the public road from the river to the bridge crossing the National road overhead, and coming to the river soon after crossing the bridge.

This is a funny business. Mrs. H. E. Waddell, Mrs. Henry Stamm and Miss Emma Stamm, of Wheeling, are at the bridge. The ladies are relatives of the proprietor of the McClure House, of Wheeling.

Mrs. Jake Kemple and child and her mother, Mrs. C. A. Goodwin, arrived over the Pennsylvania road yesterday from Maine. Colored and Mrs. Kemple will go to housekeeping in the McClure, which he has had fitted up on Indiana street, Island.

Frank Hennick came down from Pittsburgh yesterday morning to see his parents and returned in the afternoon. The Thomas W. Keene company, of which he is a leading member, is now playing a week's engagement in Pittsburgh, and will be here next Wednesday afternoon and evening.

Hon. John T. McGraw, Capt. J. A. Hunter, Col. J. F. Legge, Capt. George M. Whitecarver and Mr. W. B. Clayton, of Washington, and Mr. M. Ambler, the well known theatrical manager, and George P. Hunkill, of Oil City, Pa., who is so largely interested in West Virginia oil territory, were at the McClure last evening.

### The Opera Engagement.

Willow's Opera Company gave "The Diamond Girl" at the Grand last night. Miss Baker was a very fine actress, and Miss Kirwin a pleasing actress. Her dress was superb and tasteful, and the performance was enjoyed by a large audience. The company will be at the opera house on Wednesday evening "Fra Diavolo" will be the opera.

### Licensed to Wed.

Clerk Hook yesterday issued marriage licenses to George H. Marshcroft, aged 21, and Minnie Crumacker, aged 17, both natives and residents of Wheeling, and Jacob Hunsbarger, aged 32, a native and resident of Wheeling, and Lorena Gilmore, aged 23, a native of Charleston and resident of Wheeling.

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### DAW

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### REYNOLDS BREWING CO.'s Celebrated

Beer will be on tap for the last time this year on Saturday.

### A Spring Medicine.

The druggists claim that people call daily for the new cure for constipation and sick headache, discovered by Dr. S. J. H. Schulz, of Oil City, Pa. It is said to be Oregon grape root (a great remedy in the far West for those complaints), combined with simple laxative and is made for use by pouring the oil of the Oregon grape root into a bottle of 50 cents a package, and is called "Laxative Family Medicine." 144-1

### The Road House at Barley's Mill,

on the National road, four miles west of Bridgeport, is open for the season. The building is a fine one, and the entertainment of guests is a rare one.

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### Marble and Granite.

If you intend erecting a Monument, or want a fine monument of any kind, call at office of L. A. Moore, across the street from the McClure Building, 253 Market street.

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